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The Honorable Tyler Harper  
State Senator  
Coverdell Legislative Office Building, Room 301-B  
Atlanta, Georgia 30334

SUBJECT: State Auditor's Certification  
Senate Bill (LC 43 1164)

Dear Senator Harper:

This bill would amend provisions relating to revenues collected from fines and fees relative to the Peace Officers' Annuity and Benefit Fund. Currently, the Fund receives five dollars of each fee collected from offenders for purposes of pretrial diversion pertaining to any criminal or quasi-criminal case. This bill would clarify that the clerk of the court is responsible for remitting these funds to the Peace Officers' Annuity and Benefit Fund.

This is to certify that this bill is a nonfiscal retirement bill as defined in the Public Retirement Systems Standards Law.

Respectfully,

/s/ Greg S. Griffin

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